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FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
TRANSMITTAL**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,  
provides for continued examination of an utility or  
plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995



Application Number	09/820,843
Confirmation Number	7045
Filing Date	March 30, 2001
First Named Inventor	Samir Kumar BRAHMACHARI
Group Art Unit	1631
Examiner Name	Carolyn L. SMITH
Matter Number	Q63915
Title	A COMPUTATIONAL METHOD FOR THE IDENTIFICATION OF CANDIDATE PROTEINS USEFUL AS ANTI-INFECTIVES

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

**1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☒ Petition for Extension of Time
- v. ☒ Other Statement of Substance of Interview for telephonic interview held on September 7, 2004

**2. MISCELLANEOUS**

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a  
period of \_\_\_\_\_ months
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**3. FEES**

A check for the RCE statutory fee of \$770.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all  
required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any  
overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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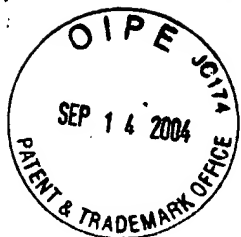
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Signature  Date September 14, 2004



AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
GROUP 1631  
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q63915

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

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Sir:

This amendment is in reply to the Office Action dated April 14, 2004. Attached hereto, and herein incorporated by reference, is a Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time extending the time for reply until September 14, 2004. Please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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